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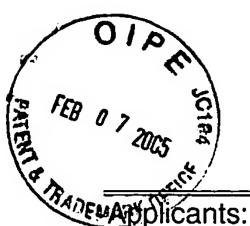
In re Application of: Yong & Cho et al.

For: METHODAND ARE RATUS TO DETECT AND TREAT SLEEP RESPIRATORY EVENTS

Serial No.: 107652.6 Filed: September 15, 2003 CERTIFICATE OF MAILING UNDER 37 CFR 1.8: I hereby certify that this INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT and the paper(s), as described herein, are being deposited in the U.S. Postal Service, as first class mail, addressed to the Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450, on this day of _ February Tyanne Pauluik **Printed Name** Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 Sir: We are transmitting herewith the attached: Information Disclosure Statement **PTO FORM 1449** Copies cited foreign references Return Postcard FEE CALCULATION \$ 00.00 Pursuant to 37 CFR §1.97(b) (before mailing of first Office Action) \$ 00.00 Pursuant to 37 CFR §1.97(c) with Certification (cited in foreign application not more than 3 months earlier) \$ 00.00 Pursuant to 37 CFR §1.97(e) with Certification \$180.00 Pursuant to 37 CFR §1.97(c) without Certification \$180.00 Pursuant to 37 CFR §1.97(d) with Certification Applicant hereby petitions for a months' extension of time. If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this petition therefor. \boxtimes Applicant believes that no extension of time is required. However, if an extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor to provide for the possibility that applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for an extension of time. \boxtimes Please charge any additional fees or credits to Deposit Account No. 13-2546 which may have been overlooked with regard to this filing. A duplicate of this transmittal is enclosed. Danjel G. Chapik Reg. No. 43,424

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Dear Sir:

In compliance with the duty imposed by 37 C.F.R. § 1.56, and in accordance with C.F.R. §§ 1.97 et. seq., the materials enclosed herewith are brought to the attention of the Examiner as possibly being of interest in connection with the above-identified patent application.

Consideration of each of the documents listed on the attached Form 1449 is respectfully requested. Pursuant to the provisions of M.P.E.P. §609, Applicant further requests that a copy of the Form 1449, marked as being considered and initialed by the Examiner, be returned with the next Official Communication.

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